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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/742,795	Applicant(s) MOORE ET AL.	
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Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☒ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: Submitted IDS and documents concerning European search.

Claim(s) discussed: none.

Identification of prior art discussed: Yellow Dog Updater, Modified (YUM) software.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative discussed the reason for submitting the IDS and other documents. Examiner was not able to view the IDS submitted by the Attorney because of eDan being down but did review the confidential documents regarding their case. Examiner will review the prior art submitted by the Attorney.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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